Tugurt language

Tugurt, also known as **Oued Righ Berber** and **Temacine Tamazight**, is a <u>Zenati Berber</u> variety spoken in some of the oases of the northeastern <u>Oued Righ</u> region around <u>Touggourt</u> in <u>Algeria</u>. As of 1893, its main speech area was in <u>Temacine</u>, <u>Blidet-Amor</u>, <u>Meggarine</u> and <u>Ghomra</u>. [3] It is closely related to the nearby Tumzabt (Mozabite) and Teggargrent (Ouargli) languages.

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Tugurt	
Oued Righ Berber	
Tašəlḥit تاسلخيت	
Native to	Algeria
Region	Oued Righ (<i>wilaya</i> of Ouargla)
Native speakers	(6,000 cited 1995) ^[1]
Language family	Afro-Asiatic
	Berber
	Northern
	Zenati
	Mzab–Wargla
	Tugurt
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	tjo
Glottolog	tema1243 (htt p://glottolog.o rg/resource/lan guoid/id/tema12 43) ^[2]
Berber-speaking areas of the Mzab, Ouargla, and Oued Righ	

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